

FIG. 1

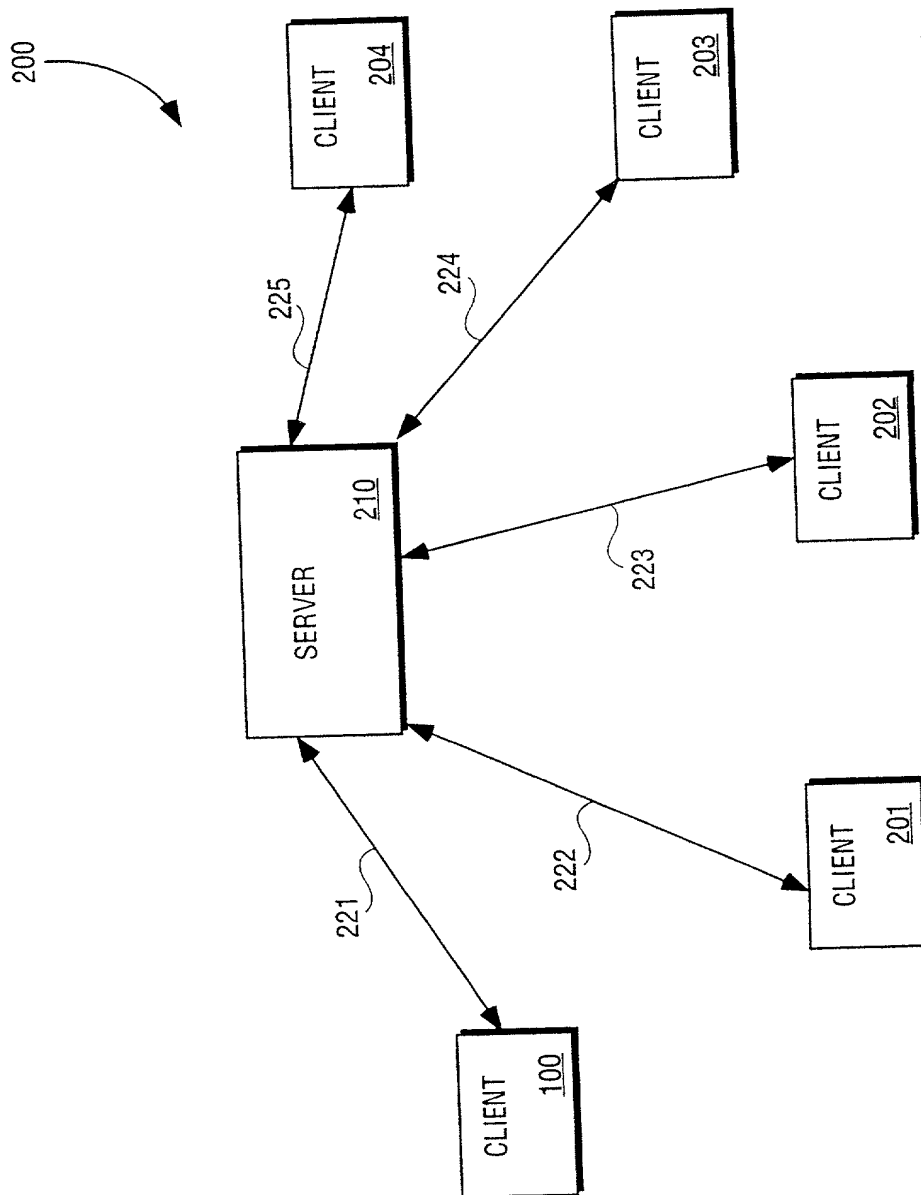


FIG. 2

FIG. 3 is a block diagram of a network system 300. The network system 300 includes a transmission medium 310 and a plurality of clients 200. The clients 200 are connected to the transmission medium 310 via bidirectional communication links. The clients 200 are labeled CLIENT 100, CLIENT 201, CLIENT 202, CLIENT 203, and CLIENT 204. The transmission medium 310 is represented by a horizontal bar with the label "TRANSMISSION MEDIUM" and the reference numeral 310. The clients 200 are represented by rectangular boxes with the label "CLIENT" and their respective reference numerals. Bidirectional arrows connect each client to the transmission medium, indicating two-way communication.

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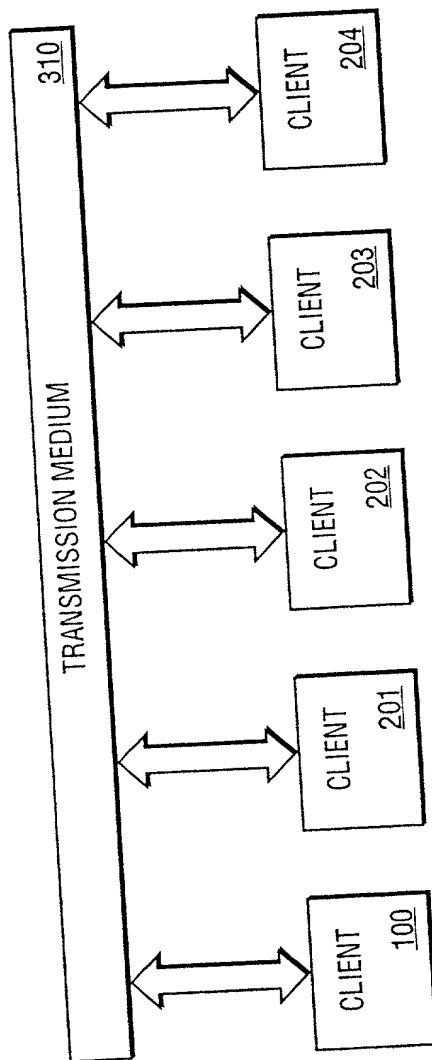


FIG. 3

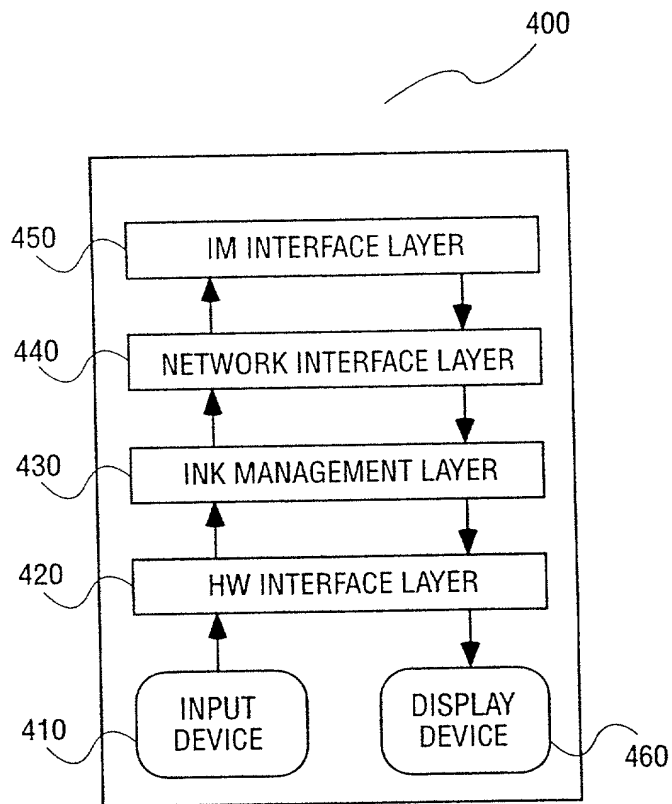


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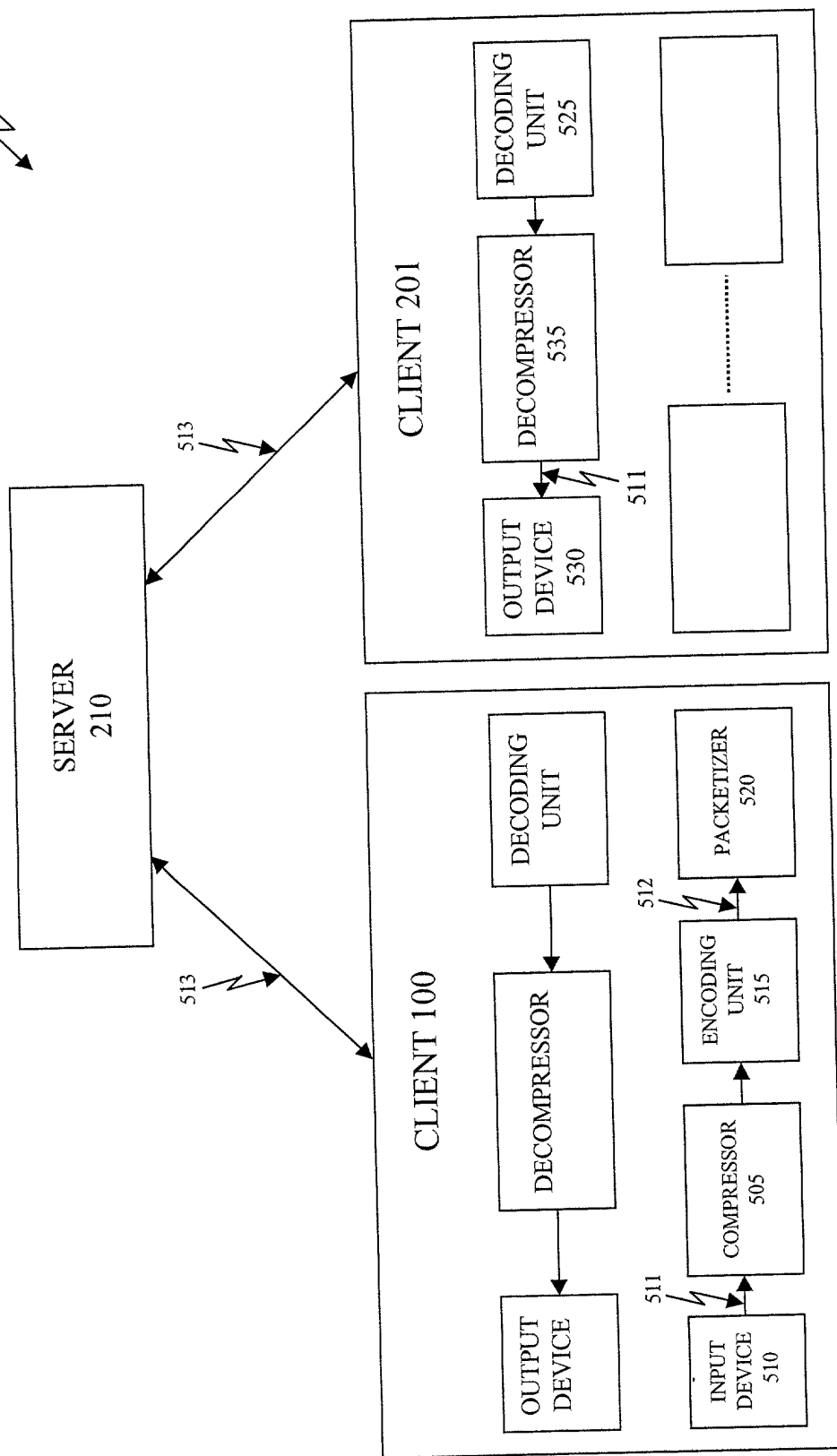
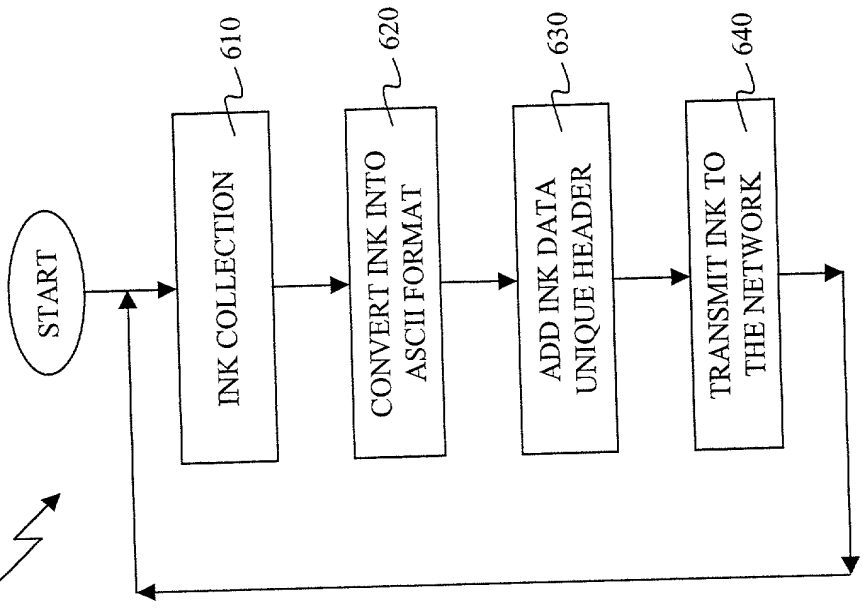


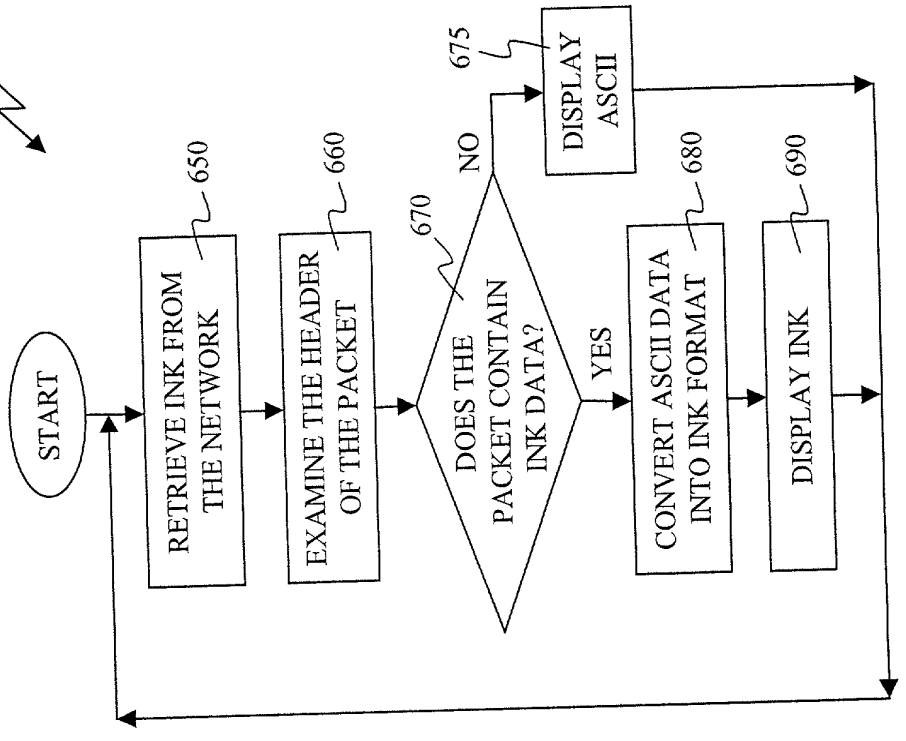
Fig. 5

600A



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600B

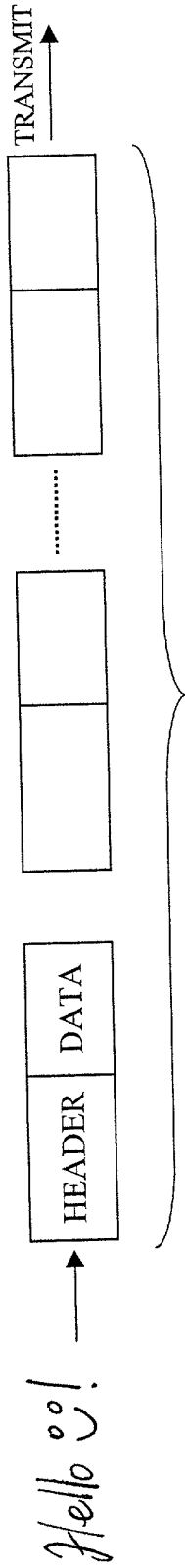


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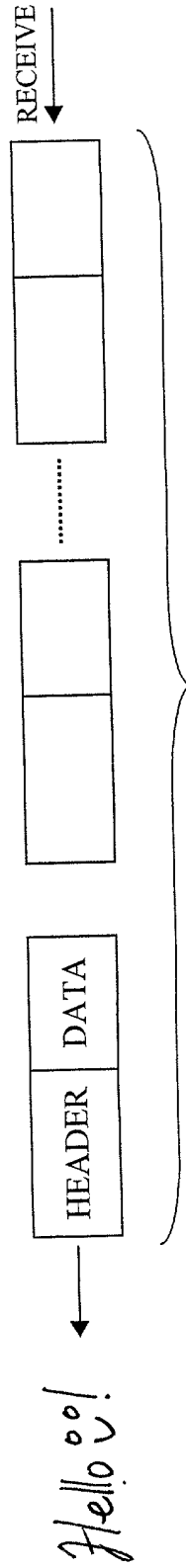
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Fig. 7